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CLAIM OF: BARBARA HOWARD

1598 Belmont Avenue, SW
Atlanta, Georgia 30310

For damages alleged to have been sustained from a sewer back up on January 24, 2003 at 1598 Belmont Avenue, SW.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS
APPROVED

BY:


JERRY L. DELOACH
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

ADVERSE REPORT

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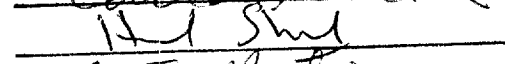
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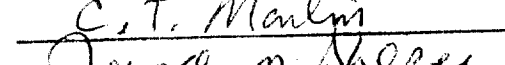
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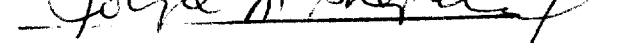
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July 20, 2005

Barbara Howard
1598 Belmont Ave., SW
Atlanta, GA 30310

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Dear Ms. Howard:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on July 18, 2005. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the **City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.**

Sincerely,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 03L0170

Date: June 28, 2005

Claimant /Victim BARBARA HOWARD
BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.) _____
Address: 1598 Belmont Avenue, SW, Atlanta, Georgia 30310
Subrogation: _____ Claim for Property damage \$ 3,000.00 Bodily Injury \$ _____
Date of Notice: 2/17/03 Method: Written, Proper X Improper _____
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 1/24/03 Place: 1598 Belmont Avenue, SW
Department WATERSHED MANAGEMENT Division: Wastewater Treatment & Collections
Employee involved _____ Disciplinary Action: _____

NATURE OF CLAIM: Claimant alleges that her home sustained property damage from a sewer backup. However, an investigation determined the City was not on notice of a sewer problem at that location prior to the date of incident.

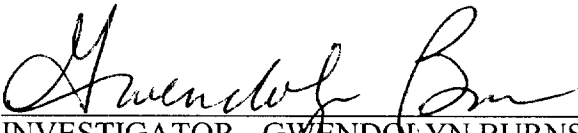
INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee _____ Claimant _____ Others _____ Written _____ Oral _____
Pictures _____ Diagrams _____ Reports: Police _____ Dept Report X Other X
Traffic citations issued: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____
Citation disposition: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____

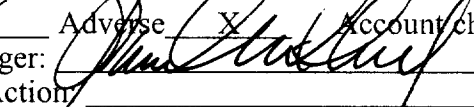
BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental X Ministerial _____
Improper Notice _____ More than Six Months _____ Other X Damages reasonable _____
City not involved _____ Offer rejected _____ Compromise settlement _____
Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. _____ Repair/replacement by City Forces _____
Claimant Negligent _____ City Negligent _____ Joint _____ Claim Abandoned _____

Respectfully submitted,


INVESTIGATOR - GWENDOLYN BURNS

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ _____ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 _____ 2PO1 _____ 2J01 _____ 2H01 _____
Claims Manager:  Concur/date 06/29/05
Committee Action _____ Council Action _____

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

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ADOPT

YEAS: 15
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

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Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Sheperd	NV Borders

CONSENT I

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